

Local Matters.

THE WEATHER.
FOR THE WEEK ENDING WEDNESDAY, APRIL 1.

Date.	Wind.	Thermometer.
		7 a.m. Noon. 6 p.m.
Thurs. Mar. 26.	N.	18 26 22
Fri. " 27.	N.	15 30 24
Sat. " 28.	N.	25 42 42
Sun. " 29.	N.	34 45 42
Mon. " 30.	N.	28 39 32
Tues. " 31.	E-S.	24 45 39
Wed. April 1.	S.	30 48 40

TRAVELERS' GUIDE.
Trains pass Middlebury station at the hours given below:
GOING NORTH—Express, 3.45 a. m.; local express, 9.39 a. m.; mail, 3.22 p. m.; express, 6.28 p. m.
GOING SOUTH—Mail, 9.39 a. m.; passenger, 4.40 p. m.; mixed, 8.30 p. m.; express, 9.31 p. m.
MAILS CLOSE—North, 2.30 and 7.30 p. m.; South, 9.10 a. m. and 7.30 p. m.
See Central Vt. time-table, elsewhere.

THE CHURCHES.
ST. STEPHEN'S.
REV. THOMAS BELL, PASTOR.
Sundays—Service, 10.45 a. m.; 7.30 p. m.
" Sunday School, 12.15 p. m.
Fridays, " 7.30 p. m.

CONGREGATIONAL.
REV. A. F. KEITH, PASTOR.
Sunday services, 10.45 a. m.; 7.30 p. m.
Sabbath school, 12.15 p. m.
Thursday, conference meeting, 7.30 p. m.

BAPTIST.
REV. A. A. CAMBRIDGE, PASTOR.
Sunday Services, 10.45 a. m.; 7.30 p. m.
Sunday school, 12.15 p. m.
Prayer-meeting, Thursday, 7.30 p. m.
Seats free.

METHODIST.
REV. F. G. HEAT, PASTOR.
Sunday Services, 10.45 a. m.
Epworth League meeting, 6.30 p. m.
Evening service, 7.30 p. m.
Sabbath-school, 12.15 p. m.
Class-meeting, 12.30 p. m.
Class-meeting Tuesday, 7.30 p. m.
Prayer-meeting Thursday, 7.30 p. m.

ROMAN CATHOLIC.
REV. HENRY LANE, PASTOR.
This is the order of services in the R. C. church commencing with Trinity Sunday, June 5:
Mass at 10.30 a. m. After Trinity, mass at alternate Sundays at 9 and 10.30 a. m. Benediction and prayers every Sunday at 7.30 p. m. Regular time for catechism, 3.30 p. m.

THE FRATERNITIES.
LAKE DUNMORE LODGE, NO. 11, I. O. O. F.
Alban Calhoun, N. G.
Meetings every Friday evening at 7.30 o'clock. Degree work every meeting. Hall over P. F. Chapman's store.

UNION LODGE, NO. 2, F. AND A. M.
John J. Hyde, W. M.
Regular communications the first Monday evening of each month.

POTTER CHAPTER, NO. 22, R. A. M.
W. H. Kingsley, M. E. H. P.
Stated convocations the third Tuesday evening of each month.

MIDDLEBURY COUNCIL, NO. 14, R. AND S. M.
W. H. Brewster, T. L. M.
Stated assemblies the third Tuesday evening of each month.

MT. CALVARY COMMANDERY, NO. 1, K. T.
Sir Frank A. Goss, E. C.
Regular conclaves the fourth Wednesday of each month.

WM. F. RUSSEL POST, NO. 89, G. A. R.
E. P. Russel, Commander.
Regular meetings the second and fourth Wednesday evenings of each month.

CAMP A. S. TRACY, S. OF V.
Clarence E. Taylor, Captain.
Regular meeting the second and fourth Friday evenings of each month.

GREEN MOUNTAIN LODGE, NO. 874, K. OF H.
H. M. Cushman, Dictator.
Regular meetings the last Thursday evening of each month.

LOCAL NOTICES.

Horse radish at Benedict's.

China nest eggs at Benedict's.

See L. C. Barrows' adv. of horses.

Fine new maple sugar at Bond Bros.

Trunks and bags, best line at Pine Hall.

Go to E. R. Clay's for jackets and wraps.

Finest line of teas in town at Benedict's.

Full line of infants' wear at E. R. Clay's.

E. R. Clay's is the place to buy millinery.

Stewart's Cough Cure at Rider's drug store.

To RENT—A tenement, 146 1/2, M. C. FOOTE.

Fresh buckwheat flour at the Star Mill. 47 1/2

Lubin's perfumeries in bulk at W. H. Sheldon's.

Vermont grown seeds at E. L. Parkhurst & Co's.

Ten bars soap for 25c. at E. L. Parkhurst & Co's.

A fine assortment street and driving gloves, at Pine Hall.

Extra cleaned currants in 1 pound cartons at Benedict's.

If you want the best truss ever made call at the Park drug store.

Look out for the ad. of "Hyder, the horse man," in our next week's issue.

Highest cash price paid for veal and deacon skins, at W. J. Speyer's market. 12 1/2

A large stock of trunks at the lowest prices just received at Beckwith & Co's.

FOR SALE—All sizes and prices of fence posts. H. P. Hulet, Salisbury Depot.

FOR SALE—A superior yearling thoroughbred Durham bull. 14 1/2 M. S. SHELDON.

Vergennes plaster cheap.

W. H. SHELDON.

Look at the kid button shoe that we are selling for one dollar.

BECKWITH & CO.

New lounges, mattresses and spring beds just received at B. B. Hope's.

FOR SALE—House on Seminary street, or will rent.

F. A. FARNSWORTH.

FOR SALE—A few sons of bay.

M. D. PARMELEE.

WANTED—A good girl for general house work. Mrs. F. Hamilton at Mr. J. L. Buttolph's.

Those indebted to me are requested to call and settle at once.

E. R. CLAY.

FOR SALE—Good Chester-White pigs, ready to be weaned April 15.

M. B. WILLIAMSON.

Round steak at 10 cents and sirloin and porter house at 12 cents a pound at W. J. Speyer's market.

NOTICE—I have for service first-class White Yorkshire and Chester-White hogs.

14 G. P. LEE.

Next week we shall offer the best line of business pants and at lower prices than were ever seen in Middlebury.

PINE HALL.

NOTICE—A salesman from one of the largest cloak houses in New York will be at Beckwith & Co's store with a full line of spring jackets on Thursday next, April 9. Remember the date.

FOR SALE—Three hundred bushels of seed oats weighing 42 lbs. to the bushel.

MR. J. L. BUTTOLPH.

Spring jackets and wraps just received; this line consists of jackets, reefer, blazers, capes, etc. Call and see them.

E. R. CLAY.

Marshall has the largest and finest line of wall papers ever shown in this vicinity. We are glad to show them even if you do not buy.

To those who are indebted to the old firm of Benedict & Bird, you will please settle within 30 days or pay for collection. R. S. BENEDICT.

Having secured a first-class city upholsterer I am prepared to do all kinds of upholstering, laying carpets, etc.

B. B. HOPE.

All persons who are owing me accounts of over 60 days' standing are requested to settle up before April 1.

R. S. BENEDICT.

March 19, 1891.

Choice line of toilet and fancy goods, dye stuffs, perfumeries, chamios, cigars, etc., at Rider's drug store.

Japanese buckwheat for sale—\$1 per bushel.

JOHN HOUSTON.

In Seeley district, four miles south of Middlebury village.

Look at our line of pocket books; 5-ct. purse for children.

W. H. SHELDON.

WANTED—At this office to complete files, two or three copies each of the Registers of August 22 and Dec. 26, 1890.

REGISTER CO.

FOR SALE—I have on hand a quantity of early white Polar potatoes; also late potatoes both for seed and cooking.

BYRON W. CRANE, Bridport, Vt.

NOTICE—I am prepared to go out by the day sewing, or will take a limited amount at my home, near the Paper-mill bridge.

Mrs. N. C. SHERMAN.

NOTICE—I have for service the best bred Chester-White boar in Addison county, the one which Louis Hope formerly had; terms, \$1, cash. 14

M. T. BUTTERFIELD.

I have a car of Bradley's fertilizer on the track now at Middlebury. Parties wishing to get it at once from the car and save money.

F. W. AYWOOD.

WANTED—To match one black horse, DeLong's stock, seven years old, 15; hands high, weight 1000 lbs. Must be sound and kind and good style.

B. B. HOPE.

I have been given the power of attorney for the settlement of all accounts with Mr. J. L. Buttolph and to receive orders for Lister's Animal Bone Fertilizers.

MRS. F. HAMILTON.

For sale, at the farm formerly occupied by Chapman G. Smith, 15 to 20 head of cattle—cows, heifers and young cattle; also a cheap work horse. Enquire of J. V. Sanford on the place.

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FOR SALE—One chestnut mare, eight years old, in foal by a son of Aristos, with a sucker by her side, weight 900, good worker, or will exchange for a driving horse. For particulars enquire of

WM. C. DANFEL.

NOTICE—Notice is hereby given to all concerned that my dooryard is not a highway either for teams or footmen or women, and that trespassers will be prosecuted to the extent of the law.

C. D. EARL.

NOTICE—To close out winter garments E. R. Clay offers his entire stock of cloaks and jackets at one-half the original price. This sale will last but a few days, and those wishing to secure bargains should call at once.

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Will sell a few tons of Vergennes plaster at one-half the cost of Nova Scotia. It is a good plaster and is the best base for par-green. This must be sold immediately at some price.

W. H. SHELDON.

FOR SALE—I brown horse 6 years old; 1 black horse, 7 years old, DeLong; 1 chestnut horse, 7 years old; 1 black horse 7 years old, extra good saddle. I will sell the above horses cheap for first-class horses.

B. B. HOPE.

WANTED—A reliable person to represent a financial corporation, with fully paid cash capital of \$250,000, in the sale, through sub-agents or otherwise, of Installment Savings Bonds. A desirable and life-long position. Address: MUTUAL INVESTMENT CO., 134 W. Minneapolis, Minn.

134 W.

I can furnish parties desiring Morgan stock, from yearlings to 3-year-olds, and also stud colts of the same ages. All will be registered in Joseph Battell's Morgan Register. For any information apply to William C. Danfey, Middlebury, Vermont.

FASHIONABLE GOWN MAKER—I have opened dress-making rooms over Clay's Milliner store, on Main street, after 22 years' experience in Rutland, and will try to satisfy every one who will make me a call. S. T. Taylor's system a specialty.

MRS. H. HANET.

Twenty of the largest crops of potatoes grown in the great potato contest have been grown on the Stockbridge fertilizers. Those who wish to raise large crops will take note of this and use the Stockbridge and Bowker manures. I shall keep a stock on hand in Middlebury and Salisbury.

15 G. P. MEAD, AGENT.

ARRIVED—The 1000 bushels of Early White Swedish oats from J. B. Rice & Co., seedsmen, have just arrived to fill the orders I have taken in Middlebury and vicinity. I have 100 bushels extra and should be pleased to have any farmer examine them. I will deliver the oats on Monday and Tuesday, April 6 and 7, at Middlebury depot.

C. M. REMELE.

Lost—From the Powers farm on New Haven river, a low-set, yellow shepherd dog; has white spot on eye of nose and small white spot on top of neck and whitish belly; had on nickel collar with brass padlock. Finder will be liberally rewarded for returning the animal or for information leading to his recovery.

ROGER LATRELL.

New Haven, Vt.

OLD BROWN IS DEAD.

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Say, did it ever strike you that it was not a very easy job to write up an advertisement and have a good headline so as to make it look startling? Now, I am in the same boat that Mrs. Brown was after the death of her husband. She wanted to do a little advertising, or rather have a "vendue" or auction sale of the personal property of her deceased husband. So she went to the editor of the village paper and informed him that she wanted to get a few thousand posters and she wanted him to suggest some startling headline. So he suggested "A Great Auction Sale," or "Goods at Auction Cheap," but that would not do Mrs. Brown. So the editor proposed to her that she, perhaps, could think of something more appropriate and startling. So at last a happy thought struck her and she suggested these words for a startling headline: "Hurrah! hurrah! Old Brown is Dead! Old Brown is Dead," and the editor said that was just the thing. So we say, "Hurrah! Hurrah! Hard Times are Dead!" and Trade is lively with

CHAPMAN & CO.

LOCAL NEWS.

One hundred and twenty-nine stallions have been registered at the office of the county clerk since the law of 1888 went into effect.

Mr. Williamson's shipment of live-stock to the Boston market on Monday consisted of 26 cows, eight oxen and 104 calves.

The "Y's" will hold a literary meeting next Monday evening at the home of Miss Fleming. The honoraries are invited to be present.

Mr. A. W. Carey, the blacksmith, has lately moved from the fair-ground shop to the shop across the street, formerly occupied by Mr. Howard.

Rev. Mr. Cambridge, who was to have preached at the union Fast-day service in the Methodist church this forenoon, is laid up with the grip, and the service will not be held.

All members of Lake Dunmore lodge, No. 11, are asked to attend every regular meeting to prepare for the celebration of the anniversary of the order, to be held on the 27th inst.

The summer term of the graded school will begin next Monday and continue 11 weeks, ending Friday evening, June 19, with the exercises of the graduating class. The summer term of the college is to open on Thursday, the 9th inst.

The Ladies' Aid society of the Sons of Veterans will give a box sociable at the Y. M. C. A., hall on the evening of the 9th inst. Each lady will wear an apron and take a box containing a lunch and also a necktie to match her apron. All are invited to attend.

The celebration of the 25th anniversary of the formation of the G. A. R. will be held next Monday evening, the 6th inst., at the rooms of Russel post. Several excellent speakers have been secured and an interesting evening may be looked for. The public are invited to attend.

Mrs. Harriet E. Slade, widow of the late Hon. James M. Slade and mother of Judge of Probate J. M. Slade, died yesterday afternoon, after a long illness, aged 72 years. The funeral will probably be at the house on Sunday. A further notice of her life will appear next week.

The price of butter this week is the same as last, 27 to 30 cents. Eggs are worth 14 cents. Local dealers in these edibles got into a little controversy Saturday afternoon, in consequence of which they were retailed in some of the stores that evening for ten cents a dozen. Several citizens laid in good stocks.

The makers of maple sugar have had a fairly good season so far. The best syrup retails at the stores at \$1 a gallon and the sugar at 12 1/2 cents a pound. Granulated sugar has fallen about two cents a pound in consequence of the removal of the duty under the McKinley bill. It retails now at about 5 1/2 cents a pound.

There will be a pan-cake and maple-sugar sociable, under the auspices of the Baptist Ladies' Aid society, in the lower (town) hall next Wednesday evening, April 8, to which an admission of 25 cents will be charged. A short literary and musical programme will be rendered during the evening. All are cordially invited.

The date of Russel post's ball has been fixed. It will come on the evening of the 10th inst., and will be held at the town hall. The Howard Opera House orchestra of Burlington has been engaged to provide the music. All members of the G. A. R. and Sons of Veterans are invited to attend. Invitations will be sent only to those not belonging to these orders.

The streets of the village are dry and the dust is abundant these windy days. Outside, the roads are for the most part as smooth as they ever get, and plowed lands are drying up. Some of the Cornwall farmers are harrowing preparatory to putting in the seed, and in that town plowing has been done along the roadsides and work begun on the roads. It is said that there is still a large amount of snow in the woods on the mountains, but hereabouts it is all gone.

The freight business on the railroad is very large just now and it is not likely to be less as the season advances. It is understood that the entire length of the Rutland road is to be relaid with heavier steel rails, that about 300 more ties to the mile will be put in, that several miles of extra sidings are to be built and that the road generally is to be gotten into shape for doing hard service and lots of it. There are rumors that more passenger trains will be run as soon as summer travel opens.

We recently printed the following item, taking it from a State exchange: "L. B. Hunt of Fairfax has presented C. D. Watson of St. Albans with a book of 'Practical Forms for Writing' published at Middlebury, Vt., in 1894. The author affords no further clue to his identity than the note that the work is by 'a gentleman of the bar.'" Hon. John Simmons of Lake Geneva, Wis., writes us that such a book, called "The Gentleman's Law Magazine," was gotten up by his father, John Simmons, then a lawyer in Middlebury, and published by Huntington & Co. in 1894. Mr. Simmons adds that he hopes to visit Middlebury at the next commencement of the college. It will be the 50th anniversary of his graduation.

CARD OF THANKS.

The widow, sons and daughters of the late Henry Powell hereby return heartfelt thanks to the very many friends who assisted them in their recent bereavement and for the many acts of kindness and evidences of sympathy done and shown, and particularly to the young gentlemen from the college who rendered their welcome services in the musical part of the funeral ceremonies.

Closing-Out SALE!

We wish to Close Out our ENTIRE Stock of

JEWELRY,

SILVERWARE,

TOILET SETS,

BOOKS,

ALBUMS,

—AND ALL—

Fancy Goods,

IN THE NEXT

30 Days

Prices on the above lines of goods will be made so low that they will astonish you.

Come and examine goods and prices.

MARSHALL'S

Variety Store.



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OUR

LINE

OF

WALL

PAPER

Is the FINEST ever shown in this Vicinity. Prices low at

MARSHALL'S

VARIETY STORE.

FRESH OPENING OF SPRING OVERCOATS!

Gent's, Boy's and Children's Spring Suits,

PRICES FROM \$2 TO \$25.00.

See the Leading Blocks in Spring Styles Hats, DERBYS and SOFT (Special Styles and Bargains). Latest Styles in Furnishing Goods; Elegant Styles in Neck Wear of every description.

Collars, Handkerchiefs, Gloves and Gent's Half Hosiery.

1200 Pairs Trousers, best trades ever displayed in Vermont. You make no mistake when you purchase goods at the LARGEST CLOTHING STORE in Vermont, where is found the LARGEST STOCK and LOWEST PRICES, that place is

PINE HALL, - - MIDDLEBURY, VT.

FRANK A. BOND, Prop.

New Shoes are Coming,

and this week we receive our Famous \$3.00 Shoes for men. We have improved them this year, and although they have always been very popular they will be more so this season. Come and see them.

BOND BROS.

GOOD RAISINS, 8 CENTS.

Broken Carolina Rice, a good bargain, 6 Cts.; five pounds for 25 Cts.

Golden Pumpkin, 13 Cts. Can.

Our Teas are as good as can be found in the County.

Try our 25 Cent	Jap.
40 "	Jap.
50 "	Jap.
50 "	Oolong.
\$1.00	Oolong.

W. H. SHELDON.

Wheat Germ Meal

Makes a very nice morning dish. Many prefer it to oatmeal or oat flakes. It is sold in bulk, so you can buy as little or as much as you like. I also have a full line of all the standard cereals, such as

Oatmeal,

Oatflakes,

Granulated Corn Meal,

Graham, etc.

Try a Sample of Wheat Germ Meal.

R. S. BENEDICT.